

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Patent No.: 7,046,681  
Inventor(s): Kai-Yeung Siu et al.

Issue date: 05/16/2006

For: NETWORK SWITCH FOR ROUTING NETWORK TRAFFIC

**Mail Stop M Correspondence  
Director of the USPTO  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**WRITTEN ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS  
(37 C.F.R. 1.27(c)(1))**

This is a written assertion of small entity status in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(c)(1) for the above identified patent.

This assertion is being made on the basis of personal knowledge.

Date: October 21, 2008

/KEVINZILKA/

Signature of Practitioner

Reg. No.: 41,429  
Tel. No.: 408-971-2573  
Customer No.: 82538

Kevin J. Zilka  
Zilka-Kotab, PC  
P.O. Box 721120  
San Jose, CA 95172